Notification No. 3701, *dated 25th May* 1912.

Notice is hereby given that the exclusive privilege of vending toddy in the 72 Government toddy shops as well as five Inam toddy shops in the Mandya Taluk for three years commencing on 1st July 1912 and ending with 30th June 1915, will be sold by public auction by the Deputy Commissioner in the Mysore District Office on Friday the 14th June 1912, subject to the conditions set forth in sale Notification No. 7494, dated 18th March 1912, and persons intending to bid for the same are informed to appear on that date. The particulars of assignment of trees, etc., will be available in the Mysore District Excise Office always during office hours, Sundays and holidays excepted.

K. KRISHNA IYER,
Officiating Deputy Commissioner.

FOREST DEPARTMENT

Notification dated 27th May 1912.

Applications are invited before the 25th June 1912, from natives of Mysore, for training in the Forest Research Institute and College at Dehra Dun, with a view to their subsequent employment as Forest Rangers in the State, with prospects of rising to Rs. 600, provided their conduct and training continue to be satisfactory, and provided further that there are the required number of vacancies in the Department.

2. Candidates should submit certificates of physical fitness for rough outdoor life, age and of respectability and moral character from heads of Colleges or individuals of position.

N. B.—Preference will be given to candidates possessing very good physique and aptitude for outdoor forest life.

3. Selected candidates will be called upon to undergo a probationary practical Forest training of $3\frac{1}{2}$ months under the order of the Conservator of Forests before joining the Forest College in April 1913.

4. While under the practical training, they will receive travelling allowance of Rs. 25 per mensem and should they give satisfaction during the period, will be deputed to Dehra Dun and given :—

(1) A monthly stipend, which will not be more than Rs. 50 per mensem, during the course of $23\frac{1}{2}$ months which they have to undergo at the College.

A sum of Rs. 150 will be advanced to each selected candidate for initial expenditure on his arrival at the College on account of his uniform, books and camp expenses; moiety of which will be recovered from the candidate's stipend at the rate of Rs. 5 per mensem.

(2) Their actual travelling expenses to and from Dehra Dun.

(3) The grant of this stipend will be held to constitute a lien on the candidate's services for a period of five years after leaving the College, and removal for misconduct within that time will be grounds for refund of the total stipend awarded and for this, proper security will be demanded. On the other hand, Government will be under no obligation to employ the candidate after returning from the College, while it may discontinue the grant of stipend at any time during the College course without assigning any reason for so doing.

5. Candidates should make their own arrangements to deposit a sum of Rs. 100 each with the Principal of the College as caution money and security for good behaviour and conduct as per Rule 12 of the College Rules.

6. For further information regarding the rules, etc., of the College, applicants should address this office.

M. MUTHANNAH,
Conservator of Forests in Mysore.